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Group: 1616

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Edgewater, New Jersey 07020

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AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated April 5, 2002, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Please amend claims 2-5, 9, 10, 12-14 and 23 as follows:

2. (Twice Amended) A liquid or soft solid anti-microbial composition comprising an antiperspirant active and an iron (III) chelator, wherein the iron (III) chelator is a micro-molar active anti-microbial agent.